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AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

The following reply is responsive to the non-final Office Action mailed February 7, 2007. Claims 1-20 were originally presented and they are the claims which remain pending for prosecution on the merits. Reexamination and reconsideration of the subject application, pursuant to and consistent with 37 CFR §1.112, are respectfully requested.

Also, the Patent Office is authorized to charge fee Deposit Account No. 12-1155 the necessary fees required for a two month extension of time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, which may be required to our deposit account No. 12-1155, including all required fees under: 37 C.F.R. §1.16; 37 C.F.R. §1.17; 37 C.F.R. §1.18; 37 C.F.R. §1.136.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.